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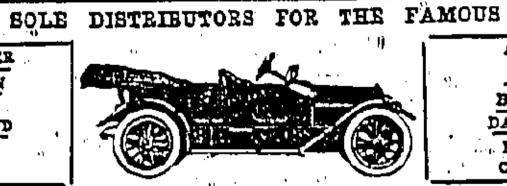
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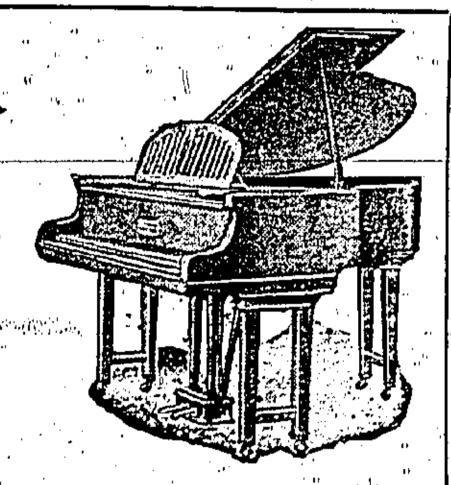
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FAR EASTERN CABLE NEWS.

KOREAN INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT.

Peking, March 12. Independent reports from Korea indicate that the independence move ment is more wide-spread than is officially admitted by the Japaneses Trouble had been anticipated on the occasion of the funeral of Prince Yi, and the Japanese called in the gendarmerie from outlying stations. Forestalling this, the Korean national leaders "arranged for Independence Day demonstrations to be held two days earlier, thus catching the Japanese unprepared. Eventually the situation was restored, but not

before thousands had been arrested. The Korean Independence manifesto calls upon the people to arise and make a peaceful demonstration. of their independence and under no circumstances to use force. The document is dignified and powerful.

THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS STRIPPEU AND BOUND TO CROSSIS.

Students of the Pingyang Presbyterian Theological School were seized, stripped, tied to rough wooden crosses

THE KOREANS' DEMAND.

The Koreans demand Japan's advisory control only until such time as the League of Nations considers the Koreans fit for absolute selfgovernment.

1917 IN HONGKONG.

kong for 1917, signed by Mr. Claud Severn, Colonial Secretary, has been issued as a Parliamentary paper. It is a belated document, but it shows, nevertheless, the actual position of the Colony and the progress that is eing made. The revenue continues to expand. It has grown from over eight and a-half million dollars in 1913 to fifteen million dollars in 1917. Expenditure, needless to say, has kept pace with this expansion. The balance to the good on the working for the year 1917 was not far_short_of_a_million_dollars, and the assets and liabilities account showed on December 31 of that year a credit balance of overthree million dollars. It is of interest to note that under a new Ordinance a tax of 7 per cent., on assessments was imposed to provide an annual contribution to the Imperial Government for purposes of the war. The collection began on July 1, and the sum realised for the half-year was \$504,984. The figures for shipping naturally show some restrictionowing to "the conditions brought about by the war. But in all the main essentials the position of the Colony is thoroughly satisfactory and progress is indicated in many directions. It is noteworthy that during the year covered by the report the War Charities funds were" subscribed to in the same generous manner as in previous years, the sums received in subscriptions amounting to nearly \$300,000. The local War Savings Association continued to encourage small investors, and a total of considerably over \$1,000,000 (Straits currency) was invested in war loans. The year 1917 will" also be memorable for the passing of the Ordinance incorporating the Volunteer Corps and the Hongkong Volunteer Reserve into one command-"The Hongkong Defence Corps." Under this Ordinance all male British subjects between the ages of 18 and 55, who are medically fit and who are ordinarily resident in the Colony, with certain exceptions,

MALINI.

are liable for military service in the

Malini gave a performance of his wonderful tricks last night to an enthusiastic audience, and the longer he stays here the more he appears to mystify people. Those people who have not taken the opportunity of witnessing this "mystifier's" performance should go and see it on Saturday when he appears for the last time in Hongkong.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS. CORPS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, MARCH, 14, 1919.

FRANCE WANTS SEVERER MILI-TARY TERMS.

Paris, March 7th. A Havas messaga says:— Regarding the military terms, Tardieu stated, at the Conference Journalists, that the unanimous feeling among the Allies was that the terms should be made more severa than suggested by the Allied military advisers.

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Paris, March 7th.

A Havas meesage says: The Sub-Commission on the Responsibility for the War has submitted its report indicting the ex-Kaiser, the Crown Prince, the inner circle of the German War Party, and several hundred civil granted 6 weeks' leave from 13, 3, and military officials who governed occupied territories in France Belgium

FRANCE EXPECTS FAIR SHARE OF GERMAN SHIPS.

Paris, March 7th. A Havas message says: --An agreement was brought about yes-

terday on the naval terms. The Allies are in complete accord that the German Navy should not be handed back to the The French favour the German Navy

being given over in part to the French Government, Paris. March 7the

A Havas message says:— At the Conference of Journalists, M. Leygues reiterated his previous expresand carried through the city, their sion of opinion that the German war-cepted.

Japanese capthrs saying that as their ships should neither be sunk nor broken (b) K Father had borne a cross they, too, | up. As constituting the common capture should have the privilege of bearing; of the Allies they should be divided in. the best way for France to make up the losses sustained.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Paris, March 7th. M. Tardien, at the weekly Conference of Journalists stated that the French Government hoped that the League of Nations would be made part of the pre-liminaries of peace. Connection between the League of Nations and the Peace Treaty must be maintained.

"It was highly desirable that the German delegates should admit the principle of the League of Nations, with the understanding that Germany would be made a member after giving proof of her intention to carry out the turms of peace.
Paris, March 1st.

change in public French opinion concerning the League of Nations, and a great deal of scepticism about the league not being a practical measure.

Half Company.

Sunday, 23rd March.—9 a.m. Right Half Company.

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Course at King's Park Range.

Kowloon.—9 a.m. Left Half

RUMANIA.

Panis, March 7th.

A Havas message says :-Queen Marie pleads for the Rumanian people who are suffering misery from under-feeding. She says that the stories the revolution are untrue.

POILU'S BONUS.

A Havas message says:—
Every French soldier will receive a bonus of £10 on demobilisation, together with 12s. for each non-combatant and 16s. for combatants.

> "PENNY DREADFULS OR PICTURES?

Lui Sing, a small boy of 13 year of age, must have been indulging very heavily in "penny dreadfuls" or been a regular patron of the picture shows, because he has become imbued with the brigand spirit, with the result that he was brought up

before Mr. G. N. Orme this morning. The terrible story brought forward by the Police was that this youth enticed a small girl of 8 years old into an empty matshed, and with an accomplice, who by the way cannot be found, blindfolded her; and with his teeth. Lui bit through the cords that fastened two little rattan and gold bangles on her wrist, took the bangles away from her and ran. Her mother who happened to be near, came rushing in, and finding what had happened, gave chase, and found that defendant had jumped on a launch. She immediately gave chase, and jumped into a sampan, and called upon the launch to stop, which hit did, and climbing on board found the small youth. Seeing that the game was up, he gave her the bangles. He was immediately taken off and placed in

custody. "After hearing all these stirring details Mr. Orme decided that this boy should be punished, and on asking where the boy came from, was told by the boy himself that he lived in Taiping, and had run away from home because his mother beat him, and that he had been in Hongkong about seven days.

Mr Orme then told the boy that he would be beaten again, and receive 12 strokes and be imprisoned for 48 hours, after which he would be sent home. He-was also warned that if he came back again he would get a long sentence in prison.

Lui will therefore return to his mother, sad, sore, and we hope sorry."

HONGKONG DEFENCE

Administrative Orders by Major H. A Morgan, Administrative Commandant.

STRENGTH. .

No. 201 Spr. J. P. Middleton, Engineer Company, is permitted to resign, on leaving the Colony, to date from 5.4.19.

Sergt. J. A. Young, "B" Coy., is granted 12 months' extension of

leave from 2.4.19.
Gnr. W. J. Hinton. Arty, Coy., is granted 12 months' leave from 13. 3. 19, Spr. D. L. Lyle, Eng. Coy., is granted 9 months' leave from 15, 19, Pte. P. T. Chilvers, Sig. Sec. is 19, Pte. F. Allen, "B" Coy... is granted 12 months' leave from 27, 3, 19, Spr. C. A. Bennett, Eng. Coy., is granted 3 months' extension of leave from 6.2.19. Pte. G. Martin, "B" Coy. is granted leave from 21.3.19 to 30.

EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION. Reference Corps Order No. 5 dated 10.1.19, a lecture on Ranging and Range cards will be given by the Adjutant at Headquarters on, Wednesday, 19th March, at 6.00 p.m.

ALLOTMENT OF RIFLE RANGES. (a) King's Park Rifle Range is allotted to the 74th Punjabis from 1st April to 1st May, 1919, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., daily, Sundays ex-

(b) King's Park Range is allotted to the 18th Infantry from 11th to 30th March, and frem 2nd May to 30th June, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily. Sundays excepted.

Orders for Artillery Company by Major J. H. W. Armstrong, V.D.

Sunday, 16th March - Gun Practice. Parade at Belchers Battery:-9 a.m. Right Half Company. 9.30 a.m. Left Half Company.

Monday, 17th March. 5.15 p.m. Lieft Half Company. T. E. T. at Headquarters. N.C.Os and men as detailed by O.C. Left Half Company. Tuesday. 18th March. 7.30 Right Half Company. T. E. T. at Headquarters. N.C.Os and men as detailed by O. C. Right

Kowloon.—9 a.m. Left Half Company. Annual Musketry Course

Orders for Engineer Company, by Captain W. Russell.

at Taikoo Range. Quarry Bay.

No. 4 Section will fire their Mus-Retry Course on Saturday, March 15 at 2.30 p.m., at King's Park Range. Officers on duty: Lieuts. Brown and Marley and 2nd Lieut. Blackburn. Cusuals of Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Sections will fire on Sunday, March 16. at 9 a.m., at King's Park Range. Officers on duty: Captain Russell and

Lieut. Stevenson. February Pay will be issued at Engineer Company Office, Headquarters, Hongkong Defence Corps, for all except Taikoo residents, on Tuesday, 18th and Wednesday, 19th instant, between 11 a.m. and noon.

Orders for Infantry Battalion by Majo H. A. Morgan.

Friday, March 21.-5.15 p.m. "A and "B" Companies on Murray Parade Ground. Dress, drill orders Officers will, wear swords.

The Commandant invites at N.C.Ost and men over 41 years of age, who can manage to do so, to attend "this "parade, at which His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government will present the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to Major G. H. Wake-

Saturday, March 22.-3.00 p.m. 'D' Company at King's Park Range. Annual Musketty Course. Sunday, March 23.—7.30 a.m. No. 7 Platoon (N.C.Os. and men who wish to fire at Quarry Bay) at Taikoo Rifle Range. Annual Musketry Course, Part 3, Fractices 15, 16, 17 and 18.

MOUNTED SECTION. .. Tuesday, March 18.—5.15 p.m. At Jockey Club Stables. Dress, drill

USIGNALLING SECTION. Tuesday, March 18.-45.15 p.m. At Headquarters. T.E.T. Rifles, Belts, pouches and dummy cartridges to be

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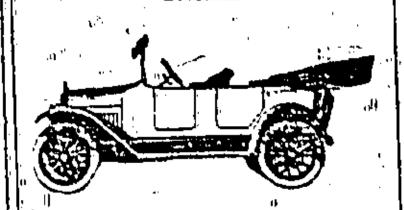
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tive Development: Bonds, which imposed. have been sanctioned by the fire. sury to the extent of \$2,500,000, was should be 10 per cent. He said that terly incerting of the Co-operative bilg out the Act, but was an evasion and out slices out of his books for a Wholesale Society. Mr. A. W. of the Act. He added that a year or volume of 'Selections.' Golightly, a director, stated that the two ago they were under the impresmoney would be required for the sion that the war restrictions would on the bine of day, such as no emindevelopment of agricultural land re- be adverse to the brewing trade, and ent man can be sure of refusing, we cently purchased by the society in they agreed upon a charge of I per had better assume that Lord Morthis country, as well as for Colonial cent. But experience had shown ley's So to my home in the falling expansion. As a first step in this that the war restrictions, so far from daylight is his word of literary faredirection the meeting proceeded to acting against the brewing interests, well. sanction the purchase of a ten planta- had been yery much in their favour. tion in Ceylon and more freehold land The increase in the dividends paid by passage in the 'Recollections,' who, in Acera, West Africa.

THE PERFECT CHILD.

Brokessor Arthur Thomson, Aberdeen, delivered an interesting discourse on the " Eugen'e Ideal in Education." Having pleaded for a large amount of nature study for the child, the professor develt on the importance of play, which was the young form of work. "In general," he said, "those who play best will always work best, five best, and love struction, he said that tragedy often resulted during adolescence without there being any terrible wickedness, when everything was said and done. There was a call for more definite, carefully graduated, carefully differentiated sex instruction. - More dayantiseptics-must be let in. some one should be hanged.

NO JERSEY CATTLE.

The Jersey Branch of the Dockers and General Worker's Union have, us e ease in the prices of milk and butter, informed the States Committee I that they will not allow the export of cattle until prices become normal.

-BREWERS'-PROFITS

Justices at Middlesex Sessions decided to impose a compensation levy of I per cent, in respect of "on" life used premises in the country during the next yeir. The United King-A doin Alliance petitioned that the The question of the new Co-opera- national compensation levy should be-

bewing companies was notorious. though it is only a year old in print, It was equally notorious that there has not put it in the archives of were numerous redundant houses in affection as one of the noblest pasthe country. There were 300 houses every 700 inhabitants.

PURITY OF LIFE.

ing at a special victory service at St. Paul's Cathedral, said that we must endeavour to live up to a higher standard of honesty and purity, as the best." On the question of sex in- great rules of homesty and purity were in serious danger of being re. hitched his waggon to a stor, and by laxed. It was necessary that the that comradeship he abides in the same standard of purity should be Indian summer of his life a spirit demanded from men as from women, whose lamp age does not dim, only and we must hold fast to the sanctity refines. His speech, measured in of marriage. Our divorce courts note and word, is a melodious token were so full to-day that he feared of this, and who would not be a light, more sunlight-both strong that hardly sufficient time was de- listener? There is the stateliness of voted to each case. He referred to the sonnet in his talk, as, again, some schools the ideal of physical the lack of honesty among those who limit is present in his writings. that, for every case of typhoid fever country if our word was not still as high things and in making their lives good as our bond.

A VISIT TO JOHN"MORLEY.

Mr. James Milne has been to see about it in a very interesting number of the Book Monthly. " We shall get no more books from our The action of the workers is receiv- most illustrious man of English let-Lord Morley, 'not a word; I have plasses. A large number of cattle finished.'" "His unwritten books are recited to him, that ' Chatham,' that "Cayour, perhaps others of an empty, "bewitching" shelf. He only shakes his head, w little sadly, because withou die cast.

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"Who has not read that lovely suges in English Eterature?' It is in the Brentford division, or one for the deliverance of a pilgrun, rich in mind and heart, a pilgrim who has set his feet in precipitous places, and has stoutly come through them. It he the farewell of a pilgrim scholar The Bishop of Willesden, preach- who has had entrance to the ancient counts of the men of old; to the council chambers of modern statesmen, and in both spheres has left a name that will live in honour.

"" As commoner or peer, he has

fitness and keeping in good form was occupied important positions in this ... He may write little more and very high. But brain-stretching country, and said-that while many a speak only in whispers, for he has must be part of the discipline as poor man who had committed a theft earned rest, but the charm of his permuch as muscle hardening. An ad- was now in gool, there were those sonnlity and the radiance of his pen miration for fitness, however, was who had amaused great fortunes and are ours to have and to hold. Merely strong in most boys, and it should used their influence to serve their to be in his presence for an hour is be festered not only for its own sake, own ends regardless of honesty, oc- to come away saying of him, as he but because health was a very cupying high positions when they says of Edmund Burke, that he had scarching criterion, and there was emphatically ought to be in prison. the sacred gift of inspiring men to an unsuspected truth in the remark. It would be a terrible thing for this use a grave diligence-in-caring for at once rich and austere.

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NOTICES.

CONCERN.

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THE Undersigned have received THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT instructions from F. C. JEXKIN. COMPANY, LIMITED.

> THE THIRTLETH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on SAT URDAY, the 22nd day of March; 1919 at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Direc tors for the year ending 31st December.

1918, and declaring a Dividend. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED THURSDAY, the 13th March, 1919, until .SATURDAY, the 22nd March,

1919, both days inclusive. By order of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Hongkong, March 5, 1919.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

A SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY A GENERAL MEETING of MEM BERS of the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held on TUESDAY, March 25, at 3,55 P.M. precisely, in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROOM, CHARTERED BANK EVILDING, for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the from FRIDAY, the 14th instant.

following resolution:--" "That Clause VI of the Rules and Regulations of the Hongkong. General Chamber of Commerce should be

amended to read as follows :---"The Committee shall consists of ten Members, all of whom shall be British or Representatives of British Firms, to be elected at the Annual Meeting of the Chamber, and they shall hold Office for one year. Vacan cies occurring during the year shall be filled up by the Committee."

> By Order, A. M. WILLIAMS,

Hongkong, March 12, 1919.

HONGKONO GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

TPHE ANNUAL MEETING of HONGKONG GENERA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held on TUESDAY, March 25, 1919 at 4 o'clock precisely, in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ROOM, CHARTERED BANK BUILDING, for the following purposes:-

1. To receive the Report and Accounts of the Committee for the year ended December 31, 1918. 2. To elect a New Committee.

To transact any General business. By Order, E. A. M. WILLIAMS,

Secretary.

Hongkong, March 13, 1919

THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY LIMITED. «

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, St. Georges Buildings, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, March 26, 1919, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accountato December 31, 1918, and electing

Directors and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from March 19, to March 26, 1919, both days

'By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO. - Agents.

Hongkong, March 11, 1919.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

HE FORTY-FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 27th instant, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report and Statement of Accounts

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HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

THE FIFTIETH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the undersigned at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 29th instant.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 29th instant, both days

At this Meeting a Resolution will be proposed that, owing to the Consulting Committee being now made up to the maximum number of eight, the remunthe SIXTEENTH YEARLY eration to the Committee be increased of from \$7,000 to \$8,000.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd. General Managers, HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, March 12, 1919.

CHINA MAIL" **PUBLICATIONS**

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("Sam Tez King," translate

by E. J. Eitel) MR. ROBERT HARTS LAND TAX MEMORANDUM ...

OHINESE BOHOOL BOOK

MALAYAN RUBBER AND TIN

JAPANESE TRADING ACTIVITIES.

Feeling in Malaya is hopeful in the belief that there will be a general and large demand for rubber and tin as soon as shipping is available and the Continental and American ports are re-opened, writes the "Times" correspondent from Singapore, recently. The tone of confidence is revealed in the large purchases, especially, of rubber, that are being made for storing locally in anticipation of a rise in prices. For the past six months the Government has been the sole buyer of tin, and there have been may complants that the price is too low. The imonopoly is now abolished, and it is hoped that "an open market will result in better prices. The chief anxiety is in regard to the supply of labour for estates and mines, as it is feared that it will be considerably below, requirements. The scarcity of shipping and the high cost of living have checked immigration.

Stocks of all kinds of imported goods are extremely low, and much local development has been retarded for the want of iron and steel and their manufactures."

There has been an enormous increase in Japanese trade with Malaya during the war, and the inflow of Japanese has created grave housing problems in Singapore, where they are buying European houses at fancy

The Japanese are not working through British or Chinese firms, but are establishing their own branches and are thus producing some gloomy predictions that they will prevent the return of pre-war British commercial predominance. The more general view, however, is that British quality will ensure good trade, while the activity of the Japanese will leave no room for the return of German trade.

TRUTH ABOUT ROOSEVELT.

The China Mail published a balanced estimate of the late Theodore Roosevelt which some superficial critics considered to be in doubtful taste. The following bit from the Japan Chronicle helps us to stay un-

Some of the American papers, ignoring the rather foolish precept that nothing but good should be said of the dead—a precept, by the way, that Mr. Roosevelt never observed, -have been reprinting the criticisms of some eminent men on Roosevelt's Imperialism. Mr. Moncure Conway, the well-known author and historian, thought that Mr. Roosevelt's appearance in politics was the worst thing that had happened to the United States since the Civil War. The late Dr. Andrew Dickson White, author of the "History of the Warfare of Science with Theology in Chris tendom," and well known as the U.S. Ambassador to Berlin, said that politically the difference between Roosevelt and the Kaiser was national, not personal." The makeup of the two men was the same... being essentially militarist, the only difference being that the one was American and the other German. The most severe criticism quoted is that of Mark Twain, who, shortly after the inauguration of Mr. Taft in 1909, wrote of Mr. Roosevelt as follows:-"Our people have adored this showy charlatan as perhaps no impostor of his breed has been adored since the Golden Calf; so it is to be expected that the nation will want him back again after he is done hunting other wild animals heroically in Africa, with the safeguards and advertising equipment of a park of artillery and a brass band."

A.B.C. GIRLS POLISHED UP;

The Aerated Bread Company has. decided that waitresses at their refreshment shops need not wear white caps. The suggestion came from the directors and not from the girls.

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John-Maithard Young, of Lon- j. don, to Mary Lillan, daughter of late Mr. and Mrs., David Gi mour, of Mickleham and Shang-

The "China Mail" is now on gale at, and will be delivered by. Messrs. W. G. Humphreys and Co. Shameen, Canton, "who have been appointed our agents.

The China

JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE.

Mongkong, Friday, March 14, 1919.

THE WEATHER.

Here's another grievance against the Censorate, that we dare not say all we would about the contemptible contemporary weather. At Home now the rooks must be building, and welcome story along the winds of trees were dying and dead. There Only the other day the bees were out, were no flowers. There was a mono-

To think that we have listened unreprovingly while other men talk. back to the glare of Senegal, to the ed disrespectfully of the climate at 114F. of Christmas Day in the Great Home." For a little cold, for a little Australian Desert, to the moist heat sleet, to think we have ourself abused of Malaya. Indeed, this cort of it, forgetting better times when we weather is almost enough to make

Where the harebell grows, and the shine, it mightn't seem so bad. And gorse, and the foxgloves nurple and white:

Where the shy-eyed delicate deer come down in a troop to drink an icicle hanging from our nose just When the stars are mellow and now. large at the coming on of the

Alse coming on of the night, must that Charles II. paid to England, winp up well in firs, and a rain-coat that the invited men abroad more

over all, if she propose to turn out after dinner for a drink. The evenings are horr'd out of doors, and the at Bournemouth, Captain | mornings repellant, How long, O. A. P. Blunt, H.M. Consular ford, how long, till the winter be Service. Clena, to Whifred. past, and the time of the swimming 'in the sea ba come? 🦠

O, to feel the beat of the rain, and the homely smell of the earth. joy past power of words;

And the blessed green comely meadows are all a-ripple with

At the noise of the lambs at play and the dear wild cry of the This weather (providing it does not

make still another swift change before the printer can show you this writing) almost reminds us of our visit to Florida, a country advertised. as everlastingly sunny, and whose very name boasts of flowers. Not long from the coral strands and fiery sums of the Pacific, we expected to feel but little change of temperature. Brrrrr!

Inter upting ourself a moment, is that conventional way of represent ing a cold shiver a good one? "Surely not. No man ever says Brrrr to express his sense of cold. He draws ing his breath, with a shrug, and a noise better represented by the French word for egg. Ocuffflef. Like that.

Other writers may use this if they acknowledge the China Mail. Now where were we? Oh yes. Florida the fraudulent. There was ice round the marges of the swampy March. Here one cannot get into was a wind that cut and bit and alar beans beset the Battery Path. the bedroom was a necessity. There and raw. A bad caddot talk buch habited by mosquitoes and Micaw- follows:-with a hadkerchief to his dose, cad bers "-the latter waiting for" suckers" to turn up and buy them outwe fled back to our beloved tropics. Hêre and now we look longing! us look forward to the climate to halt at the chattering brook, which some people confidently in the tall green ferm ut the expects us to go. If we hadn't had the previous little spell of jolly sun-

It seemed to us, during a decade of absence, that Hongkong was pecu-Here the shy-eyed delicate dear, at liarly deserving of the compliment

yet it is bad. We have the strongly-

held impression—nostis quia satis

aversor mendacium—that there was

days in the year and more hours in the day then any other country." Somehow, such enchantment does distance and time cast over memory we thought of Hongkong's winters as its most pleasunt sensons. Perhaps in those days they were not like this? health. There is something wrong; somewhere. It will be very serious for our shipping if the harbour Treezes over. And the spir tual effects of it are bad, doubly bad. Either one complains:

Weary the cry of the wind is, weary the sea. Weary the heart and the mind and

the body of me, Would I we e out of it, done with it; would I could be

desolute sands; or one flies to other spir'ts that we know of, and instead of following the

Yes. Honest to goodness, we fever. know that was awful; but que roules rous." Blame, the weather, It wouldn't have shappened other. Chinese keeping "dogs" without wise. Such Hunnish weather is fit licence, all of whom were fined \$2 or for anything. We itch to denounce five days. " it with braye, sonorous, blusting, Pantagruelian words; but the Censortite might mieread our censures."

the swallow o'er the bar.

THE MAILS.

The mail service to and from Home is improving, though not yet back to pre-war regularity. At conend they are despatching on Thorsdays instead of Fridays. mails are now going overland both ways, but ours seem to continue via the U.S.A., which is certainly not the most expeditions route. We get to-day two lots together, dated Jan. 9 and 16. It will be good for us when the tinus-Sharian route again working. At present the systern does not serve the people at Home very kind'y. They receive ours on Fr days, a day niter theirs have to be mailed. Our answe s wil therefore he at least a week late. The London and China Express of Jan. 9 had this:

It is interesting to note that just as 'the Post Office has made the statement about "the Indian and Eastern mails that the Parls Temps announces the forthcoming inauguration of an express train service, placing Paris and London in direct commanication with Athens, va Milan, Venice, Tr'este, Agram, Nish, Uskub and Larissa. It is important from the political point of view to note that this line will link up the West with a point in South-Eastern Europe through Allied countries only. Apart from this aspect, it may be noted that as a mail route to the East-and Fir Fact Athone, the rull and, some 500 miles less by sea to Port Said than is the sea passage from Brind'si (the former port of departure) to Fort Said.

The outlook for the future is there-Is a tune for the blood to jig to, a afore more promising, than it is for charge of a German U boat and was twenty years banishment. 'touch' with Home should be thrown open to the public. made closer. Meanwhile, awaiting better times, we can congratulate ourselves that we are not so badly Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, off as we were:

SOLDIERS'CLUB TOURNAMENT

"88th CO. R.G.A. v. STAFF AND DEPARTMENTS.

Resuming this match at the Soldiers' Club last night the Staff and Departments were 118 points behind. Last night they won the two remaining matches but not by sufficient points to wipe out the previous deficit. The first game was between Sergeant Davis (R.G.A.) and Staff Q. M. Sergeant Sherriff. Davis piled up a good lead, at one time being over 50 in front, but a 25 break put Sherriff on his feet and afterwards He took the lead, finally winning by 43 points. Entering the last game with his team's arrears reduced to 75. Staff Sergeant. Stanley was unable the Canadian Bank of Commerce, to score the points necessary to give accompanied by Mr. G. V. Holt wirelessing 'their raucous but pools they there call lakes. Orange his own team entrance to the second the General Manager for Western round but he won his game against Canada, has left Vancouver for Co. Q. M. Sergeant Barker (88th Co.) tour in the Orient, and will arrive the Banks for irehergs, and hangry gnawed. A rouring wood-stove in by 43 points. The 88th Company in Hongkong, about the middle thus gained the right to enter the next month. Sir Edmund's visit is semi-final versus the Hongkong partly on business and partly on foraging in Flower Street, passing tony of bare pines, on flat, sandy Defence Corps. It was the heavy; pleasure. pollen into their hip-pockets, and stretches, in a land that would have defeats experienced in the earlier hymning our lord the sun. What a been depressing even without that games that cost the Staff and Depts: Gloonly, the sky, and cold weather. Noting it down as the match. The scores and highest the Magistracy this morning, a little mean the wind. Dank is the Peak and swampy peninsula in- break made by each player are as Chinese boy who was charged with

88TH COMPANY, R.G.A. HIGHEST BREAK. Sgt. Drummond Gunner Donaldson 250 Niven 250 Donnelly 218 Sgt. Davis 207 C. Q. M. S. Barker 217

Total1392 STAFF AND DEPTS. ITIGHEST BREAK.

Sgt. Pearce 216 Staff Sgt. Lyth 178 17 Sergt. Major Sainsbury 206 Sgt. Sherratt 250 S, Q. M. S. Sherriff..... 250 Staff Sgt. Stanley 250

Total1350 ment to date is 51 by Mr. J. Gardliner, Hongkong Def nce Corps.

LOCAL AND GENERAL To-day's problar ja

Tang Shao yi has recovered his

The price of rice at Canton has fallen 70 cents per picul.

Chevalier Volpicelli is lecturing on Dante at Canton on March 19. A Chinese was fined \$5 for hav

ing a large quantity of baskets on the

pavement, thus causing obstruction. There is talk of sending some of white gull, erying along the the Canton gunboats to Annam for

rice. The French Consul is willing. To-day's réturn of communicable white gull along the sinds, one copies disease has two cases of plague, one of enteric, and two of cerebro-spinal

There were several cases

. Mrs. E. S. Anderson, the wife of this morning, after staying a fev days in Shanghai.

Mr. G. N- Orme took his seat this morning in the large Police Court, in the place of Mr. J. R. Wood, who has gone away on leave.

Should the weather be unfit tomorrow for tennis, cricket or other outdoor sport a tea dance will be held at the Cafe Wiseman.

The Cantonese are spending \$40,000 on a statue of the late Admiral Ching Pi-kwong. It is to be made in Paris, and put up at Dutch Folly or Hai Chu.

The Cantonese do not seem to expect much from the League to Ensuré Peace: On March 27 they intend to offer the usual Spring Sacrifice to the Gods of war.

Rain yesterday prevented the courts from being played on. There are several matches down for this afternoon and there is every prospect of some good tennis being seen.

Missionaries in Korea are still meddling in politics. Probably they have to keep the favour! of their followers. The Koreans have got "self-determination", idea very

Mrs. O'Sullivan, widow of the late Inspector Mortimer O'Sullivan, who met his death under tragic circumstances in the Gresson Street affair a year ago, left for Home with her family to-day.

At the time of writing he was in, and is also under a sentence the present. With that route, and on a tour round the Irish coast ports perhaps later on an aerial post, our where the submarine would be

> Major E. N. Willyams, D.S.O., who was a subaltern here at the outbreak of war, was married London on December 31, to Miss Beatrice Jean Blewett, R.R.C., Canadian Army Medical Corps.

From the list of successes in the Royal Hongkong Golf Club (Ladies' Section) printed in yesterday's China Mail was omitted the following: The Cup presented by Mrs. Dreaper was won by Miss Jessie Rodger with a score of 1 up on bogey.

The Winglai passenger motor launch, running between Wuchow and Nanning, foundered on March on account of striking a submerged in the river before reaching Kweisien. Fortunately the sengers aboard were all saved, but the whole of the cargo was, lost.

Sir Edmund Walker, President of

Mr. Lindsell had before him, at snatching money from a man. The boy's father said he ran away from home because his mother scolded him. Mr. Lindsell: "You'must exercise" of him in future."

"RETIRING ON PENSION."

We regret that an unauthorized reference in 'yesterday's China Mail based on the advertisement of the Seamen's Home at the Praya has caused annoyance. The writer surmised that Mr. Allen of the Sanitary Board must be retiring on pension, but on enquiry we learn Mr. Allen has no intention of leaving the The highest break in the tourna-" Service. The question of his retirement is one for the decision of the relief quicker. For sale by all Chemists

SPECIAL CABLE.

DEPORTED GERMANS SLIL

THREE IN HIDING.

[China Mail SPECIAL.]

Shanghai March 13. The three transports have left for Rotterdam with 1,797 Germans aboard. The Suffolk accompanied Three of the German Doctors are still in hiding. It is believed they a e at the Woosung Medical College.

PRESENTATION TO H. SKELTON.

Just prior to his departure, Mr. A. H. Skelton, the senior partner of Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co. was presented with a handsome silver salver and tea set by the staff of his.

"Mr. Skelton arrived in Hongkong thirty years ago, and was assistant manager to the present firm, but on the Peruvian Consul, arrived back his retiring he was senior partner As well as his interests in his own firm he was a director of the Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co. and the Unwin Motor Boat Co., and for the past few years he has been a member of The Food and War Charities Committees.

In 1899, he was the champion rifle shot in the Colony, and he has always taken a prominent and active interest in sports, and his name is included in the championships of tennis, billiards, and rifle shooting. Latterly he has taken up golf, and motoring. He left yesterday on R.M.S. Empress of Russia, for Victoria, B.C., where he will meet his wife, and spend some time, before going to England later in the year. Longsteamers of crackers were fired from the Lane, Crawford Building as he made his final adicu yesterday. Although he is a decided loss to the Colony, his many friends trust that he will spend many years of well earned rest.

NOT QUITE RESPECTABLE.

A Chinese in answer to a charge of larceny before Mr. R. Lindsell in the small court this morning, stated several times that he was a most respectable and honourable man, and that he had only come down to Hongkongto tryand borrow enough money to save his little home, which was mortgaged very heavily, as he was being pressed for the interest,

The case was very black against as to your guilt" said Mr. Lindsell "Do you know anything about him?" he asked the Police. "Yes Sir" "He Yesterday's home mail brought has been convicted five times before, a letter from Lieut. F. Medway R.N. and has been deported for five years, continued Mr. Lindsell. "You say you handkerchiefe, 26 doz. jug and milk are a very honourable and respect. covers, 40 piops, 29 knitted scrubable man, but not in our way of bers, 38-2/3 doz. eye and mouth looking at respectability." You will washers, 648 rolled bandages, and go to prison for six months, and 510 sponge swabs. afterwards you will be brought up on a charge for coming back after being banished....

A PROBLEM FOR A SOLUMON.

Before Mr. Lindsell at the Magispossession of 71 sheets of gelignite; a "humorous conceit" was almost pleaded not guilty.

said the defendant was a foreman as "Billie Bartlett "is the principal employed to supervise coolies at work on a new building in the course of construction. He gave witness a package of gelignite to conceal which she did. When she was arrested, said witness, she told the whole story to the police. The defendant denied all know-

ledge of the matter and said the false evidence the woman had given against him, resulted from the fact that he had refused her employment. The defendant elected to produce

witnesses to corroborate his statement and was ordered to stand downwhile his worship dealt with other cases on the charge sheet.

THEFT FROM NAVAL YARD.

i stealing from shackles from the Naval i judiciously mixing their drinks. the Police Reservist. He did not which the play was steged. know where the shackles came from. Mr. Orme did not believe this story and sentenced the man to one month's hard labour.

RUB IT IN. good many peoplethink rheumatism A cannot be cured without taking nauseous medicine. Chamba lain's Pain Balm massaged thoroughly into the skip has cored far more rhoumatism than any internal remedy in existence and gives

QUEEN MARY'S NEEDLE-WORK GUILD.

HONGKONG BRANCH

CITY HALL WORK PARTY (under Mrs. Stabby!

January. -- 07 veets, 71 pyjamus. 43" shirts, 38 kimono bed nekets, 37 ludies knickers, 11 g'rle dresses, children's pyjamas, 38 boy's overalls 40 buby's vests, 48 milk covers, handkerelriefs, 130 pants, 20 mosquito nets, and 88 boy's shirts.

February .- 126 Yests, 63 pyjamas 30 shirts, 4 kimono bedjackets, 3: ludies" knickers, 17 boy's overalls, 65 baby's vests, 24 milk covers, 90 handkerchiefs, 79 pants, 3 boy's pyjamus, 8 boy's shirts, 8 bounets, 39 pillow slips, and 74 sheets. UNION CHURCH WORKING PARTY

under Mus. Maconach e): January.—94 shirts, 66 pyjamas 31 bed jackets, 8 doz. food covers Hoz. eye bandages, 254 handkerliels, 10 pairs of socks; 24 pairs of bed socks, 8 pairs of knee caps, cups and helmets, 14 mufflers, rench sweaters, and 18 scrubbers. February:-37 shirts, 100 pants, 63 pairs of socks, 24 pairs of knee caps, 14 trench sweaters, 15 mufflers helmet, and 5 pairs of mittens. WESLEYAN: CHURCH WORKING

January 36 scrubbers, 11 surgical caps, 13 food covers, 76 shirts, 16 pants, 8 pairs of eocks, & pillow slips, and I muffler.

January,-1,188 rolled bandages, 10 triangular bandages, 3 head bandages, 3 eye bandages, 1 many-tailed ! bandages, 50 pillow slips, 12 large swabs, 44 swabs, 4 pairs of socks,

and I pair of knee caps. PEAR CLUB WORKING PARTY (under Harston: " January.--186 rolled bandages, 18 p.m. dysentery pads, 30 shell swabs, 72

leces (done up in lots). February, 240 rolled bandages, dysentery "pads, 3 pneumonia juckets, 12 shell swabs, " and sponge swabs.

NAVAL AND DOCKYARD

under Mrs. Gunner)a January. - Clothing for Reportree.-7 dresses, 10 pettieouts, 14 stays, 14 overalls, 10 pelse and capes, 8 baby's jackets, 12 white chemise, 8' flannelette chom'se, habyls long "Hannel petticoats," 8 Goldenberg: straight flunnels, 8 squares, 3 quilts, 13 bibs, 11 boots, 4 shoes, 4 boy's man and Torr, Sergt.-Major Talford, shirts, also 40 vesta, 4 pants, shirts, 15 socks, I sweater, 1 knee cop, 1 glove, 35 handkerchiefs, 37 mons, and 29 ing covers.

January.—12 pairs of socks, 2 Clarke, and Smith, Corpl. Horrocks, swenters, 8 mufflers, 9 knitted scrub- Lce. Corpl. Deakin and Private Walbers, 48 food covers, 36 khaki-hand- ker. kerchiefs, 1,320 sponge swabs, and 1,260 rolled bandages.

February.—15 mufflers, 5 sweaters. 15 pairs of socks, 16 doz. khaki Pestonji, H. Overy, T. M. Cochrane

"FAIR AND WARMER."

The Frawley Co., last night to a packed house gave their farewell performance and, judging by the enthu-Stastic reception with which every part was received they have le behind an impression, entirely tracy this morning, a Chinese who their favour and lasting. The plot of was charged with the unlawful last night's piece which they called

a "full-house" also, consisting of A coolie woman, giving evidence, two pairs and a knave. G. A. Forbes card in the first pair, the sort o hisband who never does anything and does not even take the trouble to make his wife jealous. In the second pair we have Miss Florence Chapman as "Blanny Wheeler. She plays a similar part to "Billie as the unsuspecting wife. "Billie and "Blanny" are left to their own devices for the evening, and decide therefore to give their respective partners some interest in life by

compromising themselves. The dialogue is sparkling and the acting generally is very finished Mes Molly Malim as "Laura Bartlett "and Mr. G. A. Forbes were both in excellent form. Miss Malim is new to the Colony but she has won by her acting good opinions. By the way she passes from the pathetic to the humorous she bas proved herself to be a good emotions actrees. The second act of the play at the Magistracy this morning with is occupied by the two principals in-

him run about in the street. You Yard, a Chinese who was arrested. The third not is the inevitable bedwill now watch him receive twelve by a Police Reservist while passing room scene with variations. The strokes and be sure to take more care the shackles to a confederate who house was kept on the edge of laughmade good his escape, pleaded that fer from the rise to the fell of the the shackles fell at his feet and as he curtain and thoroughly appreciated picked them up, he was arrested by the witty dialogue and dush with

s.s. Yuensang for Manila.

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LEAGUE CRICKET.

TC-MORROW'S PROGRAMMY

With four league matches down for cisposal to-morrow, (weather permitting) cricket tokes an exceptionally interesting turn this week. All the leaders are engaged. The present top dogs, R.G.A. make a visit to the University and expert to add three points to their score. Judging by their advertised team the gunners are at full strength. The University are also fielding the best available and an close game should be the result with small odds on the

The Civil Service, a team much interested in the destination of the championship, entertain the K.C.C. These teams always provide an interesting fixture, the healthy club rivalry existing bringing a number of supporters of each team together. A draw is not unlikely here.

The Craigengower team are at home to the Manchesters. The latter are an uncertain quantity. With Allan, their best bowler, playing and in form they may win a low scoring match. Looking at the names of the Craigengower team few good batsmen appear there.

The Chinese Recreation Club hope to add the three points as the result of the visit of the Navy team to their fine enclosure. The Navy have had but poor luck this season, and now that Mr. Cary has gone they have HELENA MAY INSTITUTE (under lot a bataman good for a few runs and who is a fine field,

The particulars of matches to be played, selected teans, etc., follow: Chinese R. C. v. Royal Navy, On the C.R.C." ground at 2.15 p.m. University v. R G.A. On the Univer-

sity ground at 2.15 n.m. Craigengo-wer v. Manchester Regt. On the Craigengower ground at 2.15

Civil Service C. C. v. Kowloon C. C. sponge swabs, and 2 packets gauze On the Civil Service ground at 2.15

SELECTED TEAMS. C. R. C.—Ng Sze Kwong (Capt.), Yew Man Tsun, Geo. Lee, Harry Ching, K. K. Wong, Wei Lee San, James Wong, Wong Po Keung, Sin Man Ping, Cheung Wing Kui and Un Hew Fan.

Craigengower.-R. Basa (Capt.), F. Thompson, A. Arculli, L. Lammert, D. Rumjahn, G. Manley, S. Jex. U. Omar, M. Abbas, W. Hall and A. R.G.A.—Lieuts. Sutherland, Colt.

2 Sergeants Athorne and Drummond. Corpl. -Mann, Bombr. Sharmer Gunners Baines, Middleton and Shari Manchesters .- 2nd Lient Cavar C.Q.M.S. Smith. Sergts. Hall, Bird,

K.C.C.—J. S. Robinson, J. D. Birrell, D. M. Goodall, J. H. Mead, C. P. James, A. de. Sousa, C. J. Staplet in, R.

FOOTBALL MEETING.

HONGKONG LEAGUE. MATTERS.

A meeting of the Hongkong Football League was held in the R.G.A. Sergeants' Mess, Victoria Barracks, last night. The Rev. C.B. Shann occupied the chair and was supported by Master Gunner G.T. May, acting for the Hon. Secretary, (Mr. F.W.

The business was more or less formal. The resignation of the 87th Company, R.G.A. was approved, the reason for the team resigning being the loss of so many players gone home for demobilization. Under Rule 10 in the League Handbook the points for unplayed matches go to the opponents in each case. An annual job was next carried

through, \$120 being voted for the purchase of medals for the winning teams in each division of the league. Re-arrangement of 2nd Division matches concluded the business. The matches re-arranged follow:

College 22nd March 1919. St. Joseph's College v Staff and Depts. 29th March 1919. Kowloon v St. Joseph's College 5th April 1919. 💁

S. China Ath (R) v St. Joseph's

83rd Co. R.G.A. v St. Joseph's College 12th April 1919. South China Ath. (R) v Staff and Depts. To be played in mid-week. Royal Navy (R) v. 83rd Co. R.G.A.

EDITORS ART HUMAN.

To be played in mid-week.

"I am an erratic, moody, and undependable sort of editor", says Robert Blatchford in the Clarion. "My friend Thompson's kindly and The company leave to-day by the clever jibe at me when in the week of the General Election I wrote an article on Love and left politics. severely alone was thoroughly deserved. True there is method in my madness (sometimes), for, after better medicine can not be made all, what profitable thing could I than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. have said about that particular election at that particular time? The fact is I was bored by the election and disgusted too and I had just fread a book and wanted to talk to my readers about it.",

FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S FIXTURES.

"First division: football still retains interest as the destination of the league trophies are still unsettled. On Saturday the fixtures are in connection with the United Services tainment as that submitted by Lengue, The possible winners. Hongkong F.C. or Navy, are both due to play. The former are en original and unique. It is a complete gaged with the Royal Engineers and breakaway from orthodox vaudeville. a win is an absolute necessity for any The audience is given no indication hope of winning the services shield, as, to how, it is, done, and With their last week's team one there is not the slightest sign there should be no doubt about the of mismanagement in the most Club gaining two points as the Royal difficult of the undertakings. "The

P.C. being 5 points for denutches. In the second division St. Joseph's "College take the field again after several weeks absence. Their opponents are the 83rd Commany R.G.A. from Lyeman. St. Joseph's " are already practically winners of this division and two more points are a certainty as the result of this game. The Staff and Departments. likely runners-up, play the SSth Company & R.G.A. from Victoria. This should be a good tussle, wit slight odds on the Staff. The re maining match, Kowloon and Navy Reserves is very open. At the beginning of the season it would have means two points for the Navy with out any question but latterly the Navymen have done so morly that

List of matches, referres, grounds, time of kick off, etc., dppended:---UNITED SERVICES LEAGUE. Hongkong, F.C. v. Royal "Engineers. On the Crab ground at 4.15 p.m. Referee, Mr. Banks. Royal Navy v. South China Athletic. On the Naval ground at 4.15 p.in. Referee, Mr. Einery. 2ND DIV. HONGKONG" LEAGUE. St., Joseph's College v. 83rd Go. 'R.G.A.' On the Military ground at

their prospects are uncertain.

Referee, Corpl. Townsend, Royal Navy Reserves v. Kowloon. On the Club ground at 2.30 p.m. distribution of profits for the past Referee, Mr. Dewhirst.

-2.30 p.m. Referee, Mr. Stevenson.

SELECTED TEAMS. H.K.F.C.—G. Rodger; D. Reichelmann, E. Riis; T. R. Chassels, J. Stewart, J. D. Carriere; W. Taylor, B. Pascoe, A. H. Clark, H. McTavish and C. Jennings.

St. Joseph's College.—E. Souza; W. Ogley and P. Xavier, S. Sepher, S. Marcal; E. Conceicao R. Omar, E. R. Hyndman, E. Moosdeen, Silva and L. Xavier.

"THE YELLOW DRAGON.

No. 6 of vol. XX of the Queen's College magazine is to hand, and well maintains the reputation earned by its long line of sprightly ancestors. Here is an editorial paragram which touches us professionally:

"We wish to caution our contribu-

tors to be exceedingly careful when using proper names. Last month one of our former pupils took strong exception to an article which appeared. We assured him, as we now assure all our readers, that hothing personal or derogatory to anyone was intended. For having caused him annoyance or pain we express our regret. This CANTON GERMANS LEAVE. should act as a warning to all. aim is to please and interest the present and former pupils of Q.C., and should the name Chan or Wong hap- were deported from Canton yesterpen to appear in any amusing story day. There are 29 to follow to-day. our readers may rest assured that The first lot left on the B. & S these names do not refer to actual steamer Suiyang for Shanghai. They

metre derivative, but so well done go direct to Germany from Hongthat if"." K.W.L." be a Chinese, he is kong. a wonderful testimonial to the school that taught him his English. It needs command of our language to put together such Tom Moorish lines as

From the proud city and from the lone valley. From the rich districts of Kwang

...Tung we come. Hakka and Cantonese round thee we

Far from our kindred in thee we find Sternly we strive in our sports and our_studies,

For the race goes to the wise and the strong, Moulding our manhood, our minds, and our bodies.

Q. C.'s and O. Q. C.'s join in the

DESPONDENCY DUE TO CONSTIPATION.

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VICTORIA THEATRE:

FREDONYS MASTERPIECE

It is seldom that Hongkong thea-Ire-goers have had the opportunity of witnessing such a distinctly original and wholly diversified enter-Fredony at the Victoria. Theatre last night. Fredony's act is entirely

Engineers have the poorest team Man in the Clock" a comical that has represented them for many protean tragedy, is acted by Fredony himself, in the course of which he The Navymen on the other hand takes five differert and totally. have a more difficult obstacle. Their irreconcileable characters. It is a epponents are the South China wonderful performance, particularly Athletic team. The Chinese play at the finale, in which, as the inthe more correct football but that furiated husband, he enters a big does not necessarily mean two points. "grandfather's" clock with malicious. The more go-ahead, hustling methods intent towards his wife's lover, who of the Navy, is not so good from a has hidden there, and reappears spectacular standpoint, often means almost instantaneously as the scared more goals and consequently points. fugitive, having locked the hus-The Navy expect to gather both band in the clock. All the points as the result of to-morrow's characters were interpreted with match in which case they should be amazing rapidity and change of voice fairly certain of the championship, that at first the audience were in-The Navy have I points for 4 clined to doubt his identity. The matches, the record of the Hongkong-salvoes of applause, which greeted this production were well deserved. Fredony calmly acknowledged same by a number of bows, and each time appeared in an evening dress of different color, six complete changes in as many seconds. Miss Asta Ericksen the distinguished Soprano, sang Habanera and L'La Freghiera" from Tosca and came in for loud applause. Not the least enjoyable contributions were those of Mdlle Leona, in her Cake Walk dances, who was several times encored. For to 'night the first appearance of Miss Tessie Turner, that ragtime girl from America is announced. Miss Tessie Turner is one of the leading American ragtime comediennes and she has the happy factulty of being able to

> The programme includes a new and excellent" five part picture entitled "For Sale" featuring Gladys

put over a song with plenty, of pep

and punch. The latest Broadway

successess are included in her

The week-end programme at this theatre is well worth a visit.

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To Carry forward

The first" batch of Germans (23) were six families, including twelve There is a "Song of Q.C.," of children. To day's lot are expected to

HONGKONG WAR MEMORIAL.

SUGGESTIONS INVITED.

Mr. S. B. C. Ross, the recently appointed honorary secretary of the Peace Celebration Committee, has notified the China Mail that he will be pleased to receive direct suggest ions for the proposed War Memorial

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ALL COMEDY PROGRAMME.

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

CARVALHO & CO.

DR. ARTHUR DE CARVALHO having returned to the Colony Mr. EDWARD J. NORONHA, who has been acting during his absence, ceases to be the Manager of the above firm from this date.

Hongkong, 12, March, 1919.

AMERICAN & MANCHURIAN

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

From NEW YORK VIA PANNMA

THE Steamship.

" WALTON HALL,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargon by her are informed that all goods are being landed at heir risk into the hazardous and/or extrahazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowleon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves, delivery may be obtained. Goods not cleared by the March 21. 1919, will be subject to rent.

packages are to be left in the Godownawhere they will be examined on March 20th at 2.15 p.m. Claims against the steamer must be presented within 14 days of

arrival, otherwise they will not be reoognized: No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersign-

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED. Agents.

Hongkong, March 14, 1919."

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON LIMITED.

TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PURSUANT to the powers contained in Article 48 of the Articles of Associattion of the Union Insurance Society of Canton Limited and of all other powers thereunto enabling it, the Board has cancelled the certificates for the shares of the Society set out below and has disposed of such shares in the open market and as and from the date hereof no rights under such certificates will henceforth be redurnised. New certificates for the said shares have been issued in place of the

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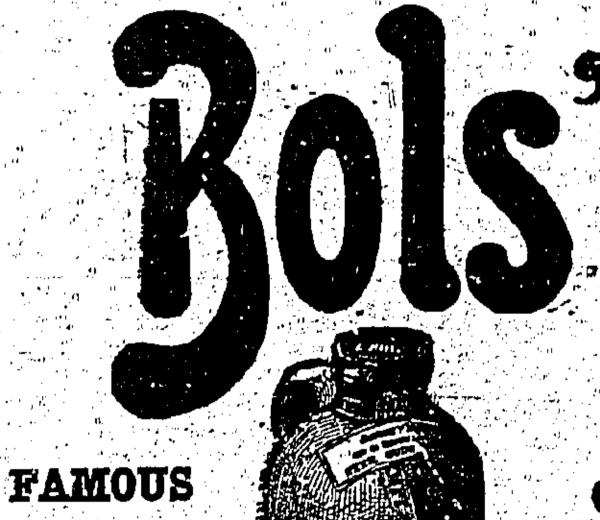
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Mr. Thomas Scott, the secretary of the Mercantile Marine Service Association, could doubtless give some very striking figures showing how the charities, administered by his organisation, let alone other institutions, had suffered through the absence of concerts held on board the liners during the past four years.

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An incident worthy of record took place on board the R.M.S. Aquitania shortly after her being paid off as one of H.M. ships, when an interesting presentation was made by the captain and officers to Lieut. A. E. Duffett (G), R.N. In January of last year Lieut. Duffett joined this famous Cunarder as mate (G), and had charge of her armament of six 6in, guns, and was promoted to the much of lieutenant in July, 1918. In addition to having charge of the Aquitania's guns, he acted as the commander's first Leutenant. During his association with the Aquitania he proved himself an efficient officer, and was extremely popular with the slip's officers. When the time came for him to sever his connection with the ship, the captain and officers took advantage of the occasion to show their appreciation of his services by presenting him with a handsome gold eightette case, suitably inscribed, together with a chatelaine bag for Mrs. Duffett. The presentation was made by Captain J. T. W. Charles, C.B., R.D., R.N.R., who, in the course of a few" remarks, teferred to Lieut. Duffett's vigilance but his post, adding that it was largely, due to his efforts that the great Crinarder had come through many case. Lieut. Duffett was also present? ed with a charming framed angravaing of the ship, this presentationbeing made on behalf of the captain and officers by Staff Captain A. J. Wolfe." It is interesting to record. that Captain Wolfe has been torpedoed on three occasions."

FREIGHTS AND SHIPPING.

Of late there has been a great deal.

of nonsense written about the Australian fleet and the large profits it made, but it may be taken for granted that the money carned by the Hughes merchant fleet was a mere flea-bite compared with the pile of eash raked in by the British Government out of British shipping. Tulk about paying the owners large sums in cash when their vessels were destroyed! What is the good of cash to a business man? What he wants, if he is a shipowner, is ships not cash. Another instance of that loose think? ing which prevails with regard to shipping is provided at the farewell that he did not think that in future arrangements food supplies should beleft, in respect of shipping facilities, to compete with ships for trude-There ought to" be measures that would make shipping facilities secure for the food supplies of the country-This, of course, is nationalisation under another disguise, and it is quite on the cards that an attempt will be made to keep control over shipping by seeking to regulate rates. That is to say, the shipowner when he has an offer for his boat will have to askpermission from one of the bureaucrats, whether he may accept it or not. A truly "delightful picture of business! Mr. Dilly and Mr. Dally. would give all the decisions maturally, unless our old friend Mr. Waitand-Sec could be revived again. Possibly instead of sending teats for German babies a million muzzles for use nearer home would help the country to get on with its business, and put a stop to the talk, talk, talk which goes on day after day.

DISCIPLINING OUR AMBITIONS.

The Archbishop of York, at Hull, said that we must get a League of Nations started. Speaking as one who know perhaps as much as anybody of the difficulties which would come before the Peace Conference, he said he had discussed the matter with President Wilson and with ex-President Talti. We must be propared to discipline our ambitions and muko escrifices. 🧃

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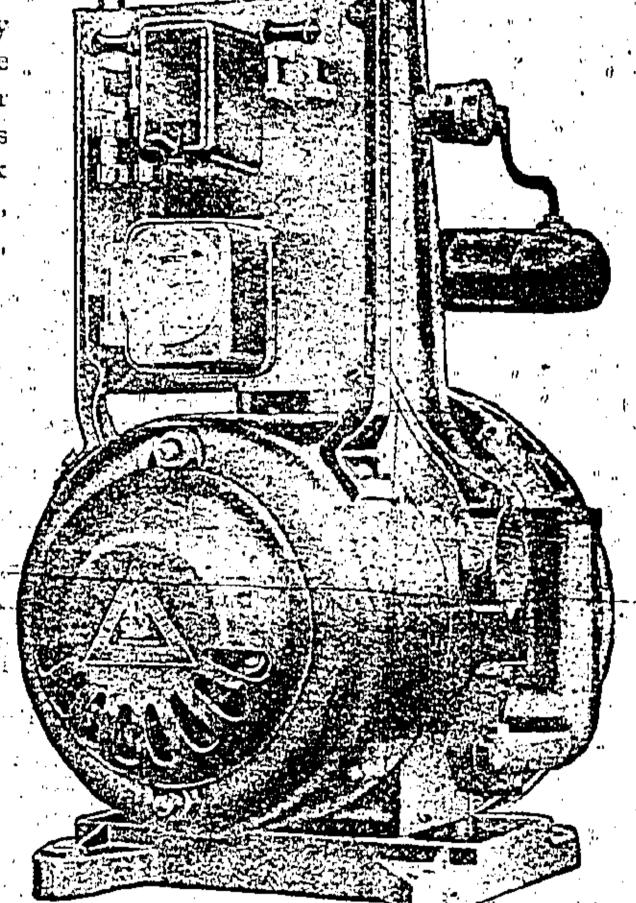
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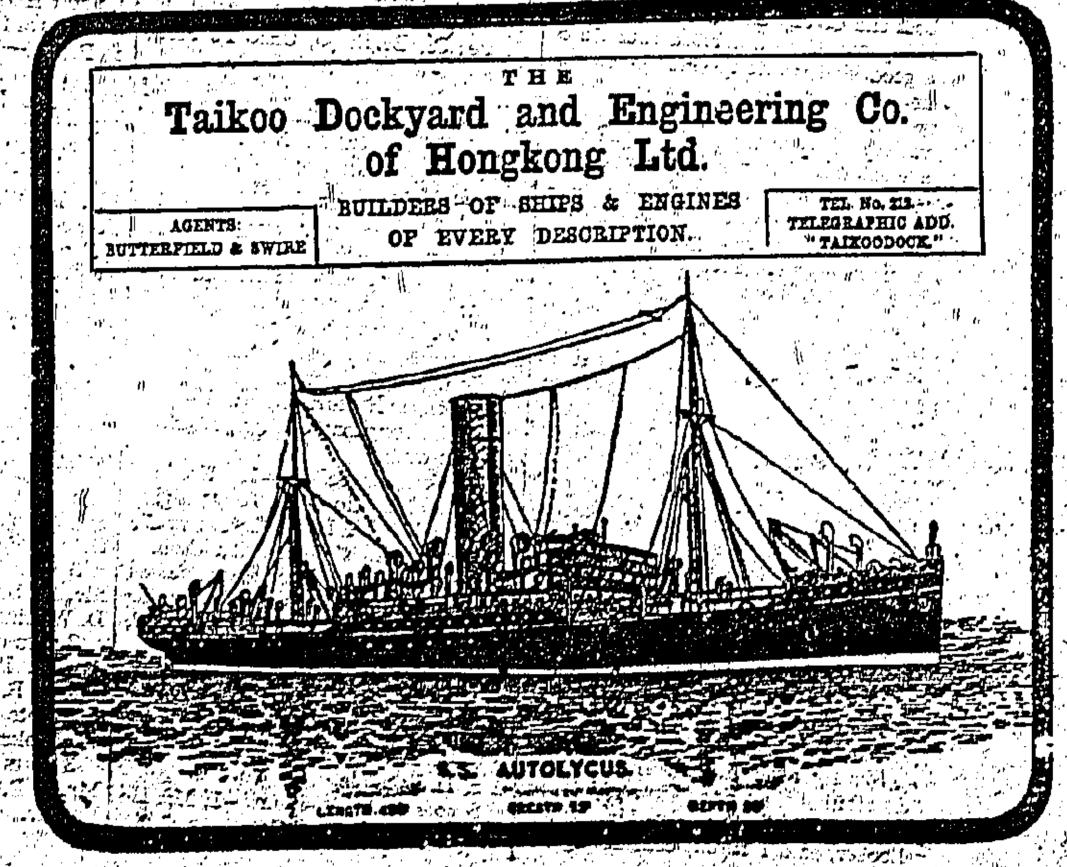
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YESTERDAY'S FLOWER SHOW.

HONGKONG CLUP'S GOOD EZF', BITS.

The Hongkong Horticultural Soniety held its annual show of fruit. flowers, and regetables at the min somewhat spoiled the proceed of flowers, and the poor fellow almost Mr. D. Landale: 2, Lady Ho Tung. ings; in the early part of the after invariably makes mistakes which 3 pote of Dublius, other than Cucnoon there were not many present create great confusion and give a tust or Peony.-I. Ludy Ho Tung; 2. Pearce, but later on, towards 5 p.m., when great deal of hard work to the Com- Hon. Mr. D. Landale. the presentation of prizes took place mittee. We ask the exhibitors, next 3 pots of Heliotrope. -1; United by Mrs. Gurner, the number of those year, to affix the tickets themselves Services R.C. 2, Mr. Chan King present had increased. During the to the flowers and plants before they Yue. afternoon, by kind permission of leave the house. The other sugges-Major Morgan and Officers, the Band ton is this; I notice that we have modore V. G. Gurner, R.N., and I Sie Paul Chater, Kt., C.M.G.

than last year, being over 980 and in future a trained English working award. this number constitutes a record. gurdener, who will not only be avail-There were 70 exhibitors, among able for the actual work of growing Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Mr. N. these being some of last years prize flowers in the Public Gardens but Stubb. winners, the most successful being his for consultations by the general Mr. Ho Kom Tong. The following community at a moderate fee. With Sir C. P. Chater; 2, Hon. Mr., D. is the complete let of the Colony's horticulturalists whose exhibits were onlyiew yesterday: -

Mrs. J. Scott Harston, Mr. T. D. Moorhead, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, bad a gardener from Home it would Mr. C. Thorne, Commander C. W. tend materially to advance the in- Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung. terests of the society and the attrac-Beckwith, R.N., Mrs., Bird., Sir | tions of the Colony, in which flowers Robert Ho Tong, Mrs. Murray Scott. Mr. T. E. Pearce, Mr. C. E. H. and gardens, form so great an attri-Boavis, Mrs. Aubrey, Matikla Hospitul, Mrs. C. H. P. Hay, Mr. H. W. Looker, Mrs. Mansfield, Mr. A. H. Compton, Mr. C. D. Wilkinson, Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, Mrs. R. M. Dyer, Mrs. Pearce, Constitudore V. G. Gurner, R.N., Mrs. John Taylor, Mr. N. L. Watson, Mrs. Stabb, Mrs. A. E. Griffin, Mr. S. H. Dodwell, Miss June Looker, Miss Angel Ormiston, Miss A. Wallace, Mr. R. A. Nicholson, Miss V. Scanlan, Mrs. J. J. Harrington, Dr. Charles Forsyth, Mr. E. J. Noronha, Ludy Ho Tung, Mr. A. Nicol, Mr. W. Hardwick, Kowloon, Cricket" Club, Mr. Ormiston, Mr. Ho Kom Tong, Mr. Chun King Yue, United Service Recreation Club, Hongkong Club. Ladies' Recreation Club, Mrs. Makeham, Mr. John Lambert, Mr. G. N. Orme, Hon. Mr. David Landale, Mr. G. M. Shaw, Mrs. G. M. Snaw, Mr. N. J. Stabb, Miss M. M. Stabb, Mrs. Jordan, Mr. B. Basto, Mrs. Evan Jones, Miss Esmé Scott Harston, Miss Pamela Scott Haraton, Sir Paul Chater, C.M.G., Miss W. M. Humphreys, Master Nicolas cher, Mr. W. M. Humph-

Mrs. Moxon. The climatic conditions have had a spoiling effect on slowers of little M and for this reason mainly the ev hibits yesterday were not so on previous eucocions. mists which have

Reak during the a tribuinous. oring plants were noticed yesterof the flowers seemed, to be pinched. General exhibits: "Mrs. J. Scott The pot plants of the Hon. Mr. "D. Harston, Mrs. R. M." Dyer, Mrs. Landale which won the challenge cop L. McPhenson, Messie, W. J. Tuthad plenty of bloom. Mr. C. Thorne cher and E. L. Sim.

with his three pots of Heliotrope secured the Challenge cup for the to the following who kindly con-The Peak is to be congrutu- tributed to the Prize Fund :lated on its cut flowers. The sweet H.E. Major-General F. Ventris, peus in their manifold tints were Commodore V. G. Gurner, R.N. beautiful and the Matida Hospital Hon. Sir Paul Chater, Kt., C.M.C. won the Challenge cup for the Peak Hon. Mr. David Landale, Hon. Mr. for sweet pens. Mr. A. Nicol's ex- Lau Chu Pak, Hon. Mr. Ho Fook, hibit of sweet peas was greatly ad- | Sir Robert Ho Tung, Lady Ho Tung,

easy-task in selecting the winners. VEGETABLE EXHIBITS.

The vegetable exhibits were the best the Colony has ever seen. The Hongkong Club exhibited rhubarb of a good kind whilst the Kowloon Cricket Club secured the Challenge cup for vegetables with an excellent variety of leeks with long sterms and, a clean and clear skin. Some fine specimens of tomatoes, lettuces and celery were also shown by the Hongkong Club. Leeks grown on the Mr. H. W. Looker carried off the to all except Peak gardens and Chi- hair and Asparagus Plumosus). Challenge cup for Peak vegetables nese market-gardeners. included in which were some good 3 pots of Marguerite (Chrysanthe. judge. They were all small but very 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale. Mr Ho Kom Tong's collection of vegetables won the first prize this was closely followed by that of C.C.; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; highly

the Hongkong Club. TABLE DECORATIONS. The table decorations were all very good. "Mrs. Black's came first a simple and nest table containing a hunch of flowers in the middle. Mrs. J. J. Hurrington's table with roses

for decorations came second. President of the Society, Mr. H. W. 3 pots of Antirrhium. 1, Mr. Ho Mr. C. D. Wilkinson; Z. Mr. H. W. Looker, said I think, considering the Kom Tong; 2, K.C.C.

extremely bad winter and the extraordinarily wise predictions which were nade as to the sort of flower show we might expect, we have, on the whole, had an extraordinarily

good show." (Applause.) Some of the exhibite I regard personally as being nothing less than marvellous. There are two points I want to make. time is to ask exhibitors, mext year, | personally to see that their exhibits are ticketed before they leave their Forsyth. houses. It is hardly fair to throw upon the Chinese gardener the task | Ho Kom Tong; 2, Siz C. P. Chater. The of deciding botween different classes

of the 18th Infantity played a good here to-day H.E. the Officer Adselection of music. The show was ministering the Covernment. The Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Korn under the patronage of His Excel. Government has always taken very Tong. lency the Officer Administering the great interest in our flower-shows and Government, the Hon. Mr. Claud has always evinced a readiness to Severn, C.M.C., His Excellency accept and welcome any suggestion Vice-Admirat Sir F. C. T. Tudor, whenever made to it. I am now

K.C.M.G., C.B., His Excellency going to make one, which I hope His Mr. Ho Kom Tong., Majrit-Cieneral F. Ventris, Com- Excellency will make a note of, and 3 pots of Freesia, white or lemon promote to the utmost of his power, coloured .- 1. Mr. Ho Koin Tong; It is that in the Botanicul; and United Services R.C. The entries this year were more Forestry Department we should have 8 pots of Freesia Hybrids - No ope or two notable exceptions, we Landale. are all extremely ignorant of gardens and plants, how to cultivate them 1, Mr. N. J. Stubb; 2, Hou. Mr. D. and what to do with them. If we

> three cheers for Mrs. Gurner. These having been given, Looker expressed their appreciation of the hard work done by their Hon. Forsyth. Secretary, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbigg'n. Mr. Dowbiggin presented Mrs. Gurner with a small silver pot containing a plant as a momento of the

AUCTION OF FLOWERS. An impromptu auction followed wnen Mr. Dowbiggin sold 14 pots of carnations raised by Mr. Downing. Mr. Chan "King Yue bought eleven for \$275, Mr. J. E. Joseph the remaining three for \$100. Mr. Stabb bought three of Mr. Dowbiggin's carnations for \$75 and the Hon. Mr. Holyouk purchased some roses from Mrs. Harrington for \$50. money thus raised will be divided between St. Dunstan's Home and the Hougkong Benevolent Society.

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Judo- . secretary). Plant in pot (Peak). essra, E. J. Noronha and A. Nicol. Messts, H. W. Looker and good as I W. M. (open): Messne, W. J. Tutcher and Beckwith: Commander -" past weeks have had Messre. W. J. Tutcher and Aucott.

"Cut-flowers (open): Mesere. N. Watson and W. J. Tutcher; (Peak) Messrs. A. Nicol and E. J. Noronha. The thanks of the Society are due

mired and won for him the Open Messrs, Ho Kom Tong, J. Scott Challenge cup. Of the other flowers Harston, H. W. Looker, N. J. Stabb. there were roses, dahlius, carnations, O.B.E., C. D. Wilkinson, Mrs. picotees and pansies and they were Newall, Messrs. John W. Taylor, all so good that the judger had no Evan Ormiston, H. B. L. Dowbig-Hancock, T. C. Downing, R. A. Gubbay, E. Howard, Wong Kam Fook, Mrs. A. E. Griffin, Messrs. S. G. Newall, W. L. Pattenden, G. C. Moxon, H. W. Bird, T. E. Pearce, B. Basto, Chao Po Sien, Leung Yan Po, C. E. H. Beavis, A. V. Apear, Mrs. Murray Scott, Mrs. A. Dalziel, Mrs. D. Templeton, Mrs. Hill, Mr. A. Nicol, and to Mrs. Taggart for presentation of a

Cup for roses in Chief 150. THE PRIZE LIST. OEUTIONS 1 .- Plants in Pots; open

leeks. The cabbages were hard to mum fruiescons).-1, Mr. B. Basto; Awatd of merit, Mr. H. W. Looker. well shaped. The Peak produced 3 pots of Nasturtium (tall varie- coloured. 1, Mr. N. L. Watson; 2, ties.—1, Hongkong Club; 2, Kowloon | Sir Robert He Tung. Cricket Club. 3 pots of Salvia -1, Kowloon

> commended Sir Paul Chater; award of merit, Ladies' Recreation Club. 6 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same season (excluding Nasturtiums) .-- 1, Ho Kom Fong; 2.

Hon. Mr. D. Landale. 8 pots of Annuals or plants raised from seed the same season and not included in Classes 1 to 8 and 6 to Shortly affer 5 p.mr. Mrs. Gurner 80. 1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong, 2, Hon. W. Looker.

8 pots of Arums -1. Sin Chatter: 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 pote of Begonia (semper florens) Hon. Mr. D. Lundale; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

3 pote of Carnations and/or Picotees .- 1, Mr. Chan King Yue; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 8 pote of Dianthus, excluding Curnations, Picotee and Sweet William.

3 pots of Cuctus Dahlins.—1, Mr. 8 pots of Peopy Dahlins .- 1, Hon.

3 pots of Larkspurs.-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2; Hon. Mr. D. Landale. 3 pots of Maiden Hair Ferns.—1, Scott.

3 poos of Ferns, excluding Maiden Hair and Asparagus Plumosus.-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 pots of Asparagus Plumosus.--1,

3 pots" of Single Germinus .-- 1 3 pots of Double Germiums -1

3 pots of Ivy-leaved Germiums.

Landabe: 3 pots of Mignonette .-- 1, Mr. Ho 3. pots of French Marigolds. -1. Dr. Porsyshi; 2, L.R.C. 3 pots, of Pot Marigold (Calendula

Hon. Mr. D. Landale. 3 pots of Nasturtium (dwarf varieties).-1, Mr. Ho Kolh Tong; 2, Dr.

> 3 pots of Petunias .- 1. Sir C. P. Chater; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 pets of Pansies and or Violas .-Hongkong Club; 2, Sir /C. Chater h.c., Mrs. Ormiston. 3 pats of Phlox Drummordii.-1,

Mrsg Jordan', 2, Mr. G. M. Orsae-3 pots of Primula,-1, Mr. Kom Tong: 2, Mr. B. Basto. 3 pots of Roses, -1. Dr. Forsyth; Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 2, Sir C. P. Chater. 3 pots of Violets. -1, Hongkong Kom Tong.

Club; 2, Kowloon C.C. 3 pots of Verbena.-1, Kowloon C.C.; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 pots of Linaria (tall varieties). , Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 pots of Clarkia .-- 1. L.R.C.;

Mr. E. Ormiston. 3 pots of Cherurias.—No award. 3 pots of Stocks.-1. Kowloon C.C.; 2. Mr. Ho Kom Tong 3 rote of Tropposition Canariers -No award.-of Sweet Peas.-1, Mr. Ho

noun Tong: 2, Mr. E. J. Noronha. SECTION 2.—Plants in Pots; Peak gardens only. 3 pots of Marguerite (Chrysanthemum frutescens).—1. Mr. S. H. Dod-

well; 2, Mrs. C. H. P. Hay. 3 pots of (tall varieties) Nasturtium.-1, Sir Robert Ho Tung; Mrs. J. Scott Harston.

Wilkinson: 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. Humphreys. 6 pots of Annuals or plants raised 25 pods of French Beans. -1, Sir from seed the same season (exclud- Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mrs. S. H. W. Harston. ing Nasturtiums).-1, Mr. Looker; 2, Mr. N. L. Watson; h.c. Sir Robert Ho Tung! 3 pots of Annuals or plants raised

seed the same season to 42 and 45 to 78.-1, Mrs. D. M. commended: Mrs. Bird. Dyer; 2, Mr. N. L. Watson. 3 pots of Antirrhinum.-1, Mr. H.

W. Looker; 2, Mrs. Murray Scott. 3 pots of Arums.-1. Mr H. W. Looker; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung.-3 pots of Begonia" (semper florens), -1, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, 2, Mrs.

3 pots of Carnations an or Picotees. -1, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. 3 pots of Dianthus (excluding Carnation, Picoteé and Sweet William). -1, Mrs. Murray Scott; 2, Mrs. J. Scott Harston.

pots of Cactus Dahlias.-No 3 pots of Peony Dahlias. 1. Scott Harston. 3 rots of Dahlias, other than Cactus or Peony.—No award.

3 pots of Heliotrope.-1, Mr. C. Thorne: 2, Mr. T. W. Moorhead. 3 pots of Larkspurs.-1. Mrs. Murray Soutt; 2, Mr. T. W. Moorhead. "3 pots of Maiden Hair Ferns.-1, Mr. H: W. Looker; 2, Mr. T. E.

3 pots of Ferns (excluding Maiden 3 pots of Asparagus Plumosus. Merit: Mrs. J. Scott Harston. 3 pots of Freesia, white or lemon

... 3 pots of Freesia Hybrids. - Award of merit, Mr. H. W. Looker. 3 pots of Single Geraniums.-1, market-gardeners. Sir Robert Ho Tung; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin.

3 pots of Double Geraniums.-1. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin; 2, Mr. 3 pots of Ivy-leaved Geraniums. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. 3 pots of Mignonette.-1, Mr. H.

pots of French Marigolds,-1. 2, Mrs. E. Ormiston.

officinalis).-1, Mrs. Murray Scotty and or variety in each bunch.-1, 2 Mr. H. W. Looker. 3 pots of Nasturtiums (dwarf varieties).-1, Mr. N. L. Watson; 2,

Sir Robert Ho Tung. 3 pots of Petunias.-1, Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Commodore Gurner. 3 pots of Pansies and/or Violas. Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Mrs. J. W. -1. Mr., Ho Kour Tong; 2, Dr. Taylor; award of merit, Cdr. Beck-

3 pats of Phlox Drummondii.-1. Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Mr. C. Thorne 3 pots of Primula.—Award merit, Mr. N. L. Watson. 3 pots of Roses.-1, Mr. T. 3 pots of Violets.-1. Mr. C. Wilkinson: 2, Mr. N. L. Watson.

pots of Verbens.-1, Cdr. Beckwith, 2, Mrs. M. Scott. Mr. H. W. Locker; 2, Mrs. M. 3 pots of Clarkia,-No awards.

3 pots of Cinerarias.-Award of merit, Mr. N. L. Watson. K.C.C.; 2, Mr. R. A. Nicholson. 3 pots of Stocks.-1, Mr. N. Watson; 2, T. E. Pearce. 3 pots of Tropaeolum Carlariensis. -No award. 3 pots of Sweet Peas.—No award.

to all except Peak gardens and Chinese market-gardens. than 6 varieties and not more in distinct kinds and not more than I the import licence number need number of each variety than may be vase of the same kind. Flowers may not be produced at the Con-

Ho Kom Tong, 2, Lady Ho Tung. 6 beets,-1, Sir C. P. Chater, 2, Dyer; 2, Mrs. M. Scott.

25 Brussels Sprouts. 1, Mr. G. N. ing 15 stems each, (one or more Mr. G. M. Shaw. Orme; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 4 Cabbages.-1, Mr. G. N. Orme, colour and or variety in each bunch. 2, Mr. J. Lambert. 4 Cauliflowers or Broccoli.-1, Mr., Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hon. Mr. D

6 Carrots.-1, Mr. J. Lambert 2 | M. Scott. Mr. G. M. Shaw. 4 Heads of Celery.-1, Hongkon Club; 2, Mr. G. M. Shaw.

6 Leeks.-1, K.C.C.; 2, Sir C. P. Chater; h.c., Lady Ho Tung. 6 Lettuces (cabbage varieties).-1, Sir C. P. Chater: 2. Mr. Ho Kom

6 Lettuces (cos varieties).-1, Mr. Ho Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Tung. 12 Onions,-1, Lady Ho Tung; 2, 6 Parsnips.-1, K.C.C.; 2, Mr. Ho

25 pods of Peas.-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale. 12 Potatoes.-I, Mr. G. N. Orme; 2. Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

25 Radishes.—1, Hongkong Club; 2. Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 4. Savoy Cabbages -- 1, Sir Paul Chater, 2, Hongkong Club. 12 Tomatoes.—1, Hongkong Club;

2, Lady Ho Toung. 2 Vegetable Marrows.-1, Mr. Ho to all. Kom Tong; 2, Hon. Mr. D. Landale. 6 Kohl Rabi.—1, Hon. Mr. D. Landale; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong. Section 4-Vegetables, etc; Peak

gardens only." than 6 varieties and not more in decorative effect).-1, Miss Wallace; show their belief in the future of the number of each variety than may be 2, Mrs. J. W. Taylor. exhibited in the class for that variety).

6 Beets.-1, Mrs. J. S. Harston;

2, Mrs. Bird; Commended: Mrs. M. Scott, and Mr. H. W. Looker. 25 Brussels Sprouts.-1, Mr. T. in classes 40 Moorhead; 2, Mrs. Murray Scott; 4 Cabbages.-1, Mr. T. E. Pearce

2, Mr. N. L. Watson: commended: Mr.T. Moorhead." 6 Carrots.-1, Mrs. Bird; 2, Mr. C. D. Wilkinson: commended: Mr. T.

4 Cauliflowers or Broccoli.-1, Mrs. J. Scott Harston; 2, Mr. T. Moorhead. 4 Heads of Celery.-Mr. H. B. L. 6 Leeks.-1, Mr. H. W. Looker; 2,

Sir Robert Ho Tung. " 6 Lettuces (cabbage varieties).-1. Mrs. Stabb; 2, Com. Beckwith. 6 Lettuces (cos varieties).—1, Mr. H. W. Looker; 2, Mrs. Griffin,

12 Onions.—Award of Merit: r. E. Pearce 6 Parsnips.—1, Mr. C. D. Wilkingen; 2, Mrs. T. Moorhead. 25 pods of Peas.-1, Mr. A. H.

Compton; 2, Sir Robert Ho Tung. 12 Potatoes. -1, Mr. C. H. P Hay. 25 Radishes.-1, Mr. H. W. Looker, 1, Mr. C. E. H. Beavis. 4 Savoy Cabbages.-Mr. T.

8 Tomatoes -1, Mr. C. E. Beavis: 2 Mrs. M. Scott. 6 Turnips.-1, Mrs. Stabb: 2, Cdr. Beckwith. 2 Vegetable marrows.—Award of

. 6 Kohl Rabi. Award of Merit. Sir Robert Ho Tung. Section 5.—Cut flowers, open to all except Peak gardens and Chinese

12 bunches of Cut flowers, of not less than 6 distinct kinds, and not more than two vases of the same kind; flowers may be mixed, but any one kind must not appear in more than two vases; foliage other than Cdr. Beckwith; award of merit, that belonging to the flowers in each trees and hard wood shrubs are excluded).—1, Mr. R.A. Nicholson;

6 bunches of Sweet Peas, containing 15 stems on each, (one or more

3 pots of Pot Marigolds (Calendula blooms on each stem), only one colour Mr. A. Nicol; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong-6 bunches of Cosmos not more

than 15 heads in each vase.—Award of Merit: Mr. Ho Kom Tong. 3 Red and or Pink Roses.-1, Mr. days. J. Lambert; 2, Mrs. J. J. Harrington. 3 White and or yellow Roses.-1. Sir Paul Chater: 2, Mr. J. Lambert. 3 Roses any Colour .- 1, Mrs. Harrington: 2, Mr. J. Lambert. 6 Carnations and or Picotees.

Mrs. Jordan; 2, Mrs. J. J. Harrington. 6 Cactus Dahlias.-1, Mrs. J. J. Harrington; 2, Sir Paul Chater. 6 Peony Dahlias, -1, Mr. R. Nicholson; 2, Mrs. J. J. Harrington. 6 Dahlias other than Cactus or Peony.-1, Lady Ho Tung; 2, Mr. Ho Kom Tong.

6 bunches Mignonette (not more) 3 pots of Linaria (tall varieties).— than 12 heads in each bunch).—1, has been instructed to open a new Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Lady Ho Consulate of the United States at 6 bunches Nasturtium (not less)

12 Pansies.-1, Mr. E. Ormiston: 2, Lady Ho Tung. than 25 in each bunch).—I, Mr. Ho strictions the United States govern-SECTION 3.—Vegetables, etc.; open | Kom Tong; 2, K.C.C.

exhibited in the class for that variety) be mixed, but any one kind must not sulate before the consulating of -1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Hongkong appear in more than I vase, foliage invoices. Peanuts are not yet includflowers in each vase not to be added. Import licenses.

> 6 bunches of Sweet Peas, containblooms on each stem), only one

-1, Matilda Hospital; 2, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. 6 bunches of Cosmos not more than 15 heads in each vase.-1, Mrs. 3 Red and or Pink Roses -- Award

of Merit: Mr. T. E. Pearce. 3 White and/or Yellow Roses.—1 Mr. T. E. Pearce. 3 Roses any colour.-1, Mr. T. E. 6 Carnations and/or Picotees. Award of Merit: Mrs. J. Scott Harston.

6 Cactus Dahlias.—All disqualified.

6 Peony Dahliss.—Award of Merit: Mr. H. W. Looker. 6 Dahlias other than Cactus or Peony.-No award. 6 bunches of Mignonette (not more | Lord Inchcape and Sir Owen Philipps.

N. L. Watson. than 4 distinct colours, and not more of the most important steps which than 20 blooms in each bunch.—1. has yet been taken in the direction of Mr, T. E. Pearce; 2, Cdr. Beckwith. demobilising industry. Lord Incheape Guam 19.88 12 Pansies.—1, Mr. C. D. Wilkin- and Sip Owen Philipps have assumed Labuan-.... 6 a 0 78 80 91 and con; 2. Mr. H. W. Looker.

than 25 in each bunch).-1, Matilda vessels, but the Hospital: 2. Mr. H. W. Looker. selves true le can be Section 7.—General Exhibits open little doubt that me shipping industry 6 Turning -1 Mr. Ho Kom Tong: Hospital; 2. Mr. H. W. Looker.

lace; 2, Mrs. J. J. Harrington. son; 2, Mr. J. Lambert. Collection of vegetables (not less 1 vase of Cut Flowers (judged for

Basket of Cut Flowers for children -1, Mrs. Bird; 2, Mrs. J. Scott between the ages of 7 and 15 to be opportunity to employ the vessels s. J. Scott Maria and Description of Salvia. 1. Mr. C. D. Harston; commended, Mrs. W. M. set up by the exhibitor without aid the various fleets under their control, profit they may make.

Harston; 3, Miss J. Looker. Table decoration.-1, Mrs. Black: 2, Mrs. J. J. Harrington; 3, Mr. E. J. Noronha. Display of Cut Flowers grown by exhibitor,—Highly commended; Mr.

Ho Kom Tong. 3 pots of Cyclamen.—Commended; Mr. H. W. Looker. 3 pots of Single Daffodils.—Awar of Merit; Mrs. Bird.

3 pots of Double Daffodils.-1 3 pots of Hyacinths.—Commended; Mrs. E. Jones. 6 pots of Annuals or plants grown

from seed the same season.-1, Mr. Ho Kom Tong; 2, Sir Paul Chater. 3 pots of flowering plants of the same kind or variety grown from seed and not included in the Society's list of flowering plants.-1, Mrs. Makem; 2, Mrs. M. Scott.

CHALLENG CUPS. Plant Pots-Open: 3 pots Begonias Hon. Mr. David Landale. Plant Pots-Peak: 3 pots Heliotrope Mr. C. Thorne. Vegetables-Open: 6 Leeks Kow-

loon Cricket Club. Vegetables-Peak: 6 Leeks Mr. H. W. Looker. Cut Flowers Open : Sweet Peas Mr. A. Nicol. Cut: Flowers-Peak: Sweet Peas Matilda Hospital.

THIS AFTERNOON'S SHOW.

The show opened at 1 p.m. to-day

but up to 3.00 o'clock the attendance was very small. Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin informed a China Mail man that there would be a sale of many of the flowers later in the day. auction and sale yesterday realised about \$600, \$450 and \$150 respectively. In the course of a stroll round the grounds Mr Dowbiggin pointed out the number of exhibits disqualified. These disqualifications have caused some comment but in his opinion vase not to be added. (Flowers from the fault was with the exhibitors.) There has been carelessness they had not taken enough notice of the rules. To shew that this was so he g ve several examples. In a class were, won by Sir Robert Ho Tung of do ble leaf geraniums people had and not by Mr. T. E. Pearce.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Attention is called to the advertisement of Messrs. Pohoomuli Bros. whose sale is open for another

Mr. A.O. Brawn of the Govern-Department Education has Ereturned to the Colony. He has been on service with the Chinese Coolie Corps.

Information has been received the colony that Mr. Algar Carleton, formerly Vice Consul attached to the Consulate General here and later raised to the rank Consul assigned to the Consulate at Batavia to assist the Consul in charge, Medan, Sumatra, where America rubber interests are extensive. Mrs. than 4 distinct colours, and not more | Carleton has left for her home in than 20 blooms in each bunch.-1, England.

The American Consul General is 6 bunches of Violets (not more able to announce that the import rement peanuts have been removed as SECTION 6.—Cut flowers, Peak from March 11. Individual import licenses are still required for each Collection of vegetables (not less 6 bunches of Cut Flowers of 6 shipment but it is provided that Club; award of merit, Mr. G. M. other than that belonging to the ed under the terms of the general 25 pods of French Beans.—1 Mr. (flowers from trees and hardwood further trouble about shipments shrubs are excluded).-1, Mrs. R. M. from this market under present arrangements,

GREAT SHIPPING DEAL.

Lord Inchcape and Sir Owen Philipps, M.P., have entered into an Gutzlaff..... agreement with the Controller of Shipping to take over the Government contracts made with shipbuil. ders for 137 steamers now in construction. The vessels will be offered to the shipping community on the same terms as they have been acquired. The "transaction involves [£20,000,000, and is thus on an immense scale. It will be generally Hoihow regarded as reflecting great credit on the public spirit and enterprise of than 12 heads in each bunch).-Mr. At the same time. it relieves the Government from a serious position. 6 bunches Nasturtium, not less The arrangement is undoubtedly one

a great responsibility and a risk in 6 bunches of Violets (not more thus relieving the Government of the will rally to their support and be glad 2 Ladies' Flower sprays and 2 Gen- to fill up such blanks as they can in tlemen's Button holes.—1. Miss Wal- their fleets, even though the cost of replacing tonnage at the present time 6 Cut Roses.—1, Mr. R. A. Nichol- may a pear high. It can well be imagine d that if owners generally do not now rise to the occasion and industry. Lord Inchcape and Owen Philipps will have plenty

PEACE CELEBRATION.

'A meeting of the Hon. Mr. Holyoak's sub-committee of the Peace Celebration Committee met this afternoon, for the purpose of electing a vice chairman, with the result that the Hon. Mr. Dodwell was elected.

HONGKONG BRITONS SEND £120.

St. George's Society of Hongkong inform's subscribers to the Dover Patrol Memorial Fund that the net amounit subscribed was \$778.37, equalling, at 3/1, £120, and a telegraphic remittance of this amount was made to the Mayor of Dover on March 12 as a contribution from Hongleong Britons.

put the ivy-leaf geranium-hence they were disqualified. In another case three plants had to be shewn all from seed in the same year. But in one exhibit one of the three plants was at least five years old and another more than that! Then there was trouble with dahlias what was a peony dahlia and a cactus dahlia.

Mr. Dowbiggin pointed out the devastations of the Peak weather of late. The pansies up to a week ago had been good, now they are marked with spots by the fog but yet they make a good class. The violets also went off in the last week. The China. Mail also understands that it is hoped to hold a small exhibition in the City Hall sometime in the autumn when cactus dahlias will be shewn. In the earlier reports of prize winners there are one or two corrections to be made viz:

PEAK VEGETABLES. Class 104 and 116. The 1st Prizes

WEATHER REPORT

March 14d. 12A. 25m.-P.essur increased considerably over Japan anticyclone having moved eastward has decreased moderately at contin

atutions, and slightly class here. Hongkong Rainfall for the 34. anding at 10 am. to-day, 0.03 Total since January 1st, 2.18 in against an average of 4.14 inches. Forecast for the \$4 bours code goon on the 18th. 1.-Hongknag to Gan Rock. E. moderate; cloudy with drizaling improving later. s.-Formosa Channel. N.

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BOYAL OBSERVATORY HONGKONG, DAILY WEAT REPORT.

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2. HUMIDITY, in percentage of 4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two 5. FORCE OF WIND, accord Bondford Scale. 6. STATE OF WEATHER, b blue

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HONGKONG TIDES

The tide-table given below has compiled at the National Almanac in London from the result of the al Observations taken by means sutomatic tide-recording machine Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha juring the years 1903-9. The zero of the table correspond

the zero of the sounding in the Adn Chart, which has been found to be inches below mean see level To obtain the depth of water tide gauge at the Victoria Nava add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the st Lamont Dock, Aberdsen, add I 4 inches to the height given in the

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COMMERCIAL. THE SILVER MARKET.

In an unusually interesting review of the silver market during 1918 Messrs. Sharps and Wilkins, after mentioning the fluctuations in the plice from January to March, say, that during these three months In dian and English Mint requirements were large and continuous, and as these seemed likely to go on arrange ments began to be discussed with a view to make available the large amount of dollars held in the United States of America under the Sher man Act, and various proposals were advanced as to how this was to be done. It being generally believed that a higher rate would be fixed than 'was at that time' current, the price of silver in London improved very materially, and the quotation went to 46d, a few days later. Then 'came the announcement that an Act of the Anerican Congress had been passed, providing for the release at \$1 per ounce fine of \$350,000,000 'held in the United States Treasury. with the provision that the Government should acquire silver from the producers at the same price to replace the silver thus apportioned. whenever it was convenient to do so. The effect of this measure in London i of bringing the silver to Europe, sively until August 21.

exports were permited expect an magning. Government account. The signing of the armistice (Nov. 11), and the consequent cessation of danger from submarine attack, reduced the war risk of insurance New York to London from £2 to 2s. 6d per cent., so that it was possible to bring silver to London at a smaller expense, and on Nov. 12 the silver quotation was reduced to 483d, which figure was notified as the new maximum to be

which date until the end of the year the price was quoted at 48 7 16d. As regards the future of silver, Messrs. Sharps and Wilkins think it is extremely doubtful if there will be any fall except such as may arise from lower freight rates between New York and London. Owing to ! the partial failure of the monsoon in,

observed in silver transactions, and

a "further reduction for a similar reason took place on Dec. 6, from

India it is possible that rupees may be returned to the Treasury, as the result of hoarded coins being brought into circulation to purchase the necessaries of life, which would obviate the necessity of so much new coinage in India as has been found requisite during the war, but it must be remembered that the area for the circulation of rupees has been greatly increased, as these coins have become a convenient monetary basis of Central Asia. Syria, and North and East "Africa, and as these countries are, or will probably become, large ventres of corn and other production under British management, some deficiency in India will be made up by the harvests of those lands and coinage in India may be expected to continue still. It is most unlikely that there will be any demonstisation of coinage in that quarter. It is confidently believed that with a free market China will be a large buyer, and inasmuch as no silver has been obtainable by any of the other countries for so long. there is every probability of requirements there also. The English Mint has been coining heavily, but here. again, we expect a continued demand in view of a Treasury Note issueoutstanding of above £300,000,000. the mere circulation of which makes it necessary to have a large amount of silver coinage for changing Not only in England, but in all

other European countries, the tremendous war expenditure has resultwas to increase the price to 491d ed in gigantic issues of paper money, per quice standard, the parity of the for which a metallic reserve has to be American price of \$1 plus, the cost built up, and inasmuch as the production of gold is limited, it becomes which price lasted for a week, but a question whether it may not be was modified slightly as some varia- necessary to associate silver with it tion in the cost of insurance and on a fixed basis. The conditions of other charges allowed silver to be the world of to-day are so different sold a little lower, and 493d, 483d, from those when the bimetallic theory and 48.13,16, were quoted success was abandoned that old arguments no longer apply. All stocks having The exchanges in China now rose | been absorbed, with the sole exception considerably, and purchases were of silver dollars left of those made made for shipment from San Fran- available by special statute in cisco above the \$1 per ounce, making | America; probably nearly a half of some further action necessary, and the \$350,000,000 has been utilised, the selling price was altered to 101 ac, but if only \$125,000,000 have to be the equivalent of 491d per ounce replaced, which represents nearly standard in England, and notice was 100,000,000 fine ounces, the entire given in the Official Gazette that this production of the United States for figure was the maximum price at more than a year would be required. which silver might be dealt in. Our and as their measure requires the quotation therefore remained at United States Government to buy 492d without alteration from Aug. this silver at \$1 per ounce, the price 21 to Nov. 8. The China exchange can hardly fall below that figure. remained, however, above the silver While a high price will undoubtedly parity, but no silver could any longer stimulate production, producers in be shipped thither without licenses Mexico and elsewhere may ber unfrom the American Government, willing to sell except at a higher which licenses were unobtainable, rate, and "the prevailing opinion: For some time previous similar re- therefore, is that in relavation of strictions, on trade were made in Government control, whenever that London, and licenses to ship silver to takes place, may result in the price and in the aheard were refused, of silver rising to a still higher level and in the aheard white the than we have seen during the year

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Hongkong, March, 10, 1919.

LOOK POUNG SHAN,

Chief Manager.

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TIME TABLE. WEEK DAYS.

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10.50 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes.
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The following points are made in pool.

favour of Hongkong: Front's geographical point of view, Hongkong is the most centrally located port in relation to the Oriental ports supplying transhipment cargo. With the exception of Batavia and Guam it is a shorter distance to Pacific Coast, ports via Hongkong than to the same ports via Manila, the mileage saved 'via Hongkong being greater the farther north the Facific coast port. This makes Hongkong the logical trans-shipping

the average vessel sailing from the United States Pacific ports to the Orient takes the southern route, calls a. Fionolulu, Japan, Shanghai, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai, Jaran, and th ence across the Pacific. This leaves Francisco. the Hongkong cargo last to be taken from the ship. The meaning of a terminal port is the port at which the vessel completes her cargo and "commences her homeward loading. Yokohama. In this instance the terminal port

should be Hongkong. It is not practical to run a vessel from Shanghai to Hongkong, to Manila and then back to Hongkong. to Shanghai. You would be travelling the two legs of a triangle and would be calling at a port twice: unnecessarily. Nor under present shipping conditions is it practical to run the vessel from Shanghai to Hongkong, to Manila and thence back to Shanghai for the reason that nearly 50 per cent, of the ordinary load of a vessel coming from America is for Manila, while more than 50 per cent, of her homeward cargo is from Hongkorg and Shanghai. If a vessel running this raute were to discharge her Hongkeng cargo inward and load her Hongkong. cargo outward at one call, she would "via Shanghai. be compelled to overstow some of the Hongkong cargo, besides having to stow rice in the tween decks with America. Manila light cargo in the lower holds. This would tend to make a ship tender and prevent, the ship from carrying a deck cargo. The most satisfactory way to handle a ship from the and Liverpool. stowage point, of view is to run her from Shanghai to Manila with the Shanghai cargo in the square of the Shanghai. hatches and wings of the 'tween deck, and Manila cargo in the top of the lower holds on top of the Hongkong cargo. This enables you to replace the cargo in the 'tween decks with Manila hemp Islands and Australia. " and cigars, which is light; cargo, and places you in a position to load rice from Hongkong and Francisco. oil from Shanghai in the lower holds. Therefore, unless conditions change Francisco. materially, Lam of the opinion that Hongkong is the most logical terminal for trans-Pacific vessels.

The question of labour is closely connected with the one preceding. Manila offers the Filipino labour, while Hongkong offers the Chinese labour. It is a confirmed opinion among shipping men and masters Seattle. that man for man the" Chinese are better labourers than the Filipinos. Work can be done cheaper, better andquicker in Hongkong than Manila. A Filipino is naturally lazy and indolent, a Chinese is by nature slow but industrious, thorough, and above all

keen to make money. At the present Hongkong offers Liverpool. abetter facilities for docking vessels, having four privately-owned docks and one Government dock, all of which are capable of handling an ordinary-sized vessel,

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Dated Jan. 16, a London paper reports :-- With regard to the military situation, the British and Allied -troops of occupation have occupied the left bank of the Rhine and the three bridgeheads across the river without any untoward incident. The Germans, however, have fallen conmaterial and folling stock which they were to have handed over within a month from the armistice. The deficiency is 865 heavy guns, 7,000 Solina, Mrs. Rayhael, Lieut Gerardot, Mrs. E. L. Fraim Mrs. C. Russell Ficiency is 865 heavy guns, 7,000 Solina, Mrs. Rayhael, Lieut Gerardot, Mrs. E. L. Fraim Mr and Mrs. machine-guns, 1,000 trench mortars, Lieut Sclafer, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Daver Mr H. R. Franz Shellim, nurse and 600 aeroplanes, with 4,736 and 4 children, Mr. V. L. Dalal, Mrs. Mr T. Fuller Cumming, Mrs. Krivitskaia, Mrs. C. H. Mr N. O. Galluzzi motor lorries. British prisoners of Woohuant and 6 children, Mr. Li Hua, Mr C. Greece Woohuant and 6 children, Mr. Li Hua, Mr C. Greece into Eritish or Allied lines.

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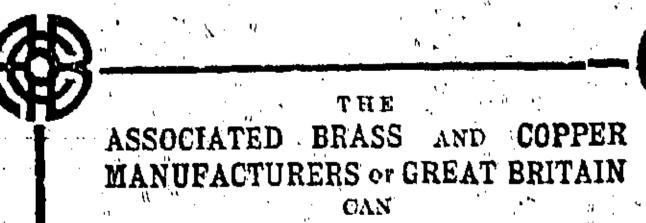
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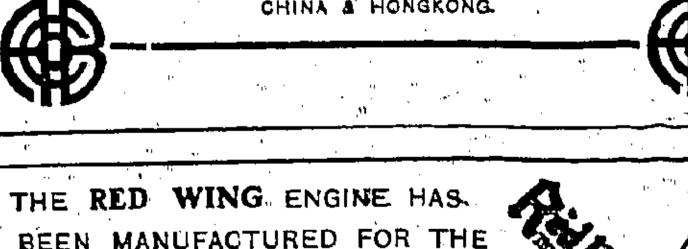
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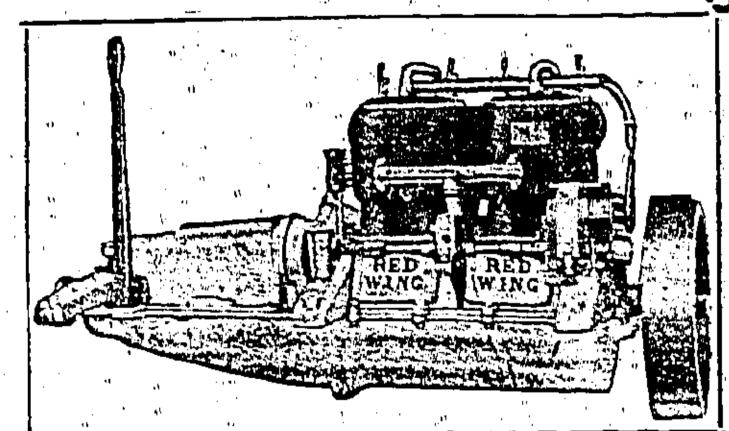
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South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Bombay, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Suez -Per DILWARA. Registration 9.15 a.m. Letters 10 a.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Burmah and Calcutta— Per AKITA MARU, 10 a.m. Freemantle, Adelaide and Perth—Per AMHERST, 11 a.m. Saigon-Per BOURBON, 1 p.m.

Saigon-Per SHINMEI MARU, 4 p.m. Formosa via Takao-Per KOMPIRA MARU, 5 plm.
Quinhon—Per HOSEI MARU, 2 p.—
Shanghai and North China — Per
CHENAN, 5 p.m.

SUNDAY, March 16. -Per AMAKUSA MARU,98.m. Tientsin-Per HUICHOW, 9 s.m. Swatow, Shanghai and North China-Per ESANG, 9 a.m.

MONDAY, March 17. Swatow and Bangkok-Per CHANG-CHOW, 9 a.m. Philippine Islands, Japan via Moji Canada, United States, Central "and Fouth America and EUROPE . via Canada -- Per CANADA MARU. Registration 11.45 s.m. Letters 12.30 p.m.

TUESDAY, March 18. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAI-HONG, 1 p.m. Shanghai and North China-Per TEAN,

WEDNESDAY, March 19. via Kobe-Per SHIDZUOKA saki, Canada, United States, Central and South America, and EUROPE via Vancouver-Per EMPRESS OF JAPAN. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters

FRIDAY, March 21. Japan via Moji, Honolulu and San Francisco-Per ANYO MARU, Swatow, Amoy and Foochow—Per HAITAN, 1 p.m.

10.30 a.m.

Philippine Islands-Per LOONGSANG, 2 р.ш. SATURDAY, March 22. Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUR-OPE vin Suez-Per "INABA MARU. Registration 9.45 s.m.

Letters 10.30 a.m. WEDNESDAY, March 26. Philippine Islands. Australia, New Zealand via Thursday Island-Per TANGO MARU. Registration "8.45 a.m. Letters 9.30 a.m. FRIDAY, March 28. Shanghai, North China and Japan

10 a.m. WEDNESDAY, April 2. Japan via Negasaki-Per NIKKO MARU, 10 a.m.

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